

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE)	
APPOINTMENT OF FILOTEO GOMEZ)	ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
AS A CONTRACT COURT INTERPRETER)	NO. 2010-001
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Whereas the Superior Court of Arizona in Maricopa County is experiencing an urgent need for a qualified English<>Mixe court interpreter owing to a demand for interpretation services for Mixe speaking defendants and victims/witnesses, and lack of availability of current contractors;

Whereas the existing court interpreter vendors do not have qualified and reliable Mixe language interpreters;

Due to these circumstances and the urgency in providing interpretation to the judicial divisions and other vital court programs, it is necessary to temporarily engage the services of qualified providers. This action will avoid delays and continuances of cases requiring English>Mixe interpretation services.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Mr. Filoteo Gomez, an Oklahoma registered court interpreter, be allowed to work as an English<>Mixe contract court interpreter during the period July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010.
2. Mr. Filoteo Gomez will be compensated at the rate of \$35.00 per hour with a minimum of two hours for telephonic interpreting.
3. Ms. Filoteo Gomez be exempt from providing proof of liability and professional insurance.
4. Ms. Filoteo Gomez abide by the Code of Ethics and Standards of Conduct for Court Interpreters established by this Court.

Dated this 5th day of January, 2010.

Barbara Rodriguez Mundell
Presiding Judge

Original: Clerk of the Superior Court

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